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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A compound of formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt . thereof:

wherein

R¹ is selected from C_{3-6} alkyl, C_{6-10} aryl, C_{2-6} heteroaryl, C_{6-10} aryl- C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-6} heteroaryl- C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{3-10} cycloalkyl, C_{3-10} cycloalkyl- C_{1-4} alkyl, R^8 -C(=O)-, R^8 -S(=O)-, R^8 -, R^8 -

 R^2 is selected from -H and C_{1-8} alkyl optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from halogen, - CF_3 , -OH, C_{1-3} alkoxy, and halogen; and

 R^3 is selected from -H, $C_{1.6}$ alkyl-O-C(=O)-, $C_{1.8}$ alkyl, $C_{2.6}$ cycloalkyl, and $C_{2.6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{1.4}$ alkyl, wherein said $C_{1.6}$ alkyl-O-C(=O)-, $C_{1.8}$ alkyl, $C_{2.6}$ cycloalkyl, and $C_{2.6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{1.4}$ alkyl are optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from $C_{1.6}$ alkyl, halogenated $C_{1.6}$ alkyl, - NO₂, -CF₃, $C_{1.6}$ alkoxy and halogen.